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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	PATENT APPLICATION
Inventors: Masashi Maekawa	)	
and Yukihiro Nakata	)	November 10, 2003
Serial No.: 10/043,723	)	Attorney Docket No. SLA0648
Filed: January 8, 2002	)	(SMT318D)
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Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This amendment responds to an Office Action dated August 15,  
2003 in the above-identified application.

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